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San Diego Symphony to Feature Chamber Music at Central Library

Chien, Huang and Chen Will Perform Mozart, Beethoven and Dohnányi

SAN DIEGO – Three members of the San Diego Symphony – Mei-Ching Huang, violin; Chi-Yuan Chen, viola and Chia-Ling Chien, cello – will perform a music recital at the City of San Diego Public Library as part of the Symphony’s Education and Outreach Program. The FREE concert will be held on Sunday, February 17, 2013 at 2:30 p.m. in the third floor auditorium of Central Library, 820 E St., in downtown San Diego. Details of the recital follow:

Program (subject to change)

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, Duo for Violin and Viola in G Major, K. 423

Ludwig van Beethoven, Duo for Cello and Viola “With Two Eyeglasses”

Ernst von Dohnányi, Trio for Violin, Viola and Cello in C Major, Op. 10

Mei-Ching Huang has played violin in the New York Philharmonic, the Orpheus Chamber Orchestra and other distinguished ensembles. Among her many awards and honors is the first prize in the Marbury Violin Competition and top prize in the Yale Gordon Concerto Competition and Hellam Young Artists Competition. She holds a graduate diploma and a Master’s degree from the Juilliard School.

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Chi-Yuan Chen, viola, was top-prize winner of the 2000 Fischhoff Chamber Music Competition and the 2004 International Paris Viola Competition Ville d'Avray. Mr. Chen has established himself as one of the leading violists of his generation. He has toured internationally as a concert violist, performing in the White House in Washington, DC, Suntory Hall in Tokyo, Carnegie Hall in New York, National Concert Hall in Taipei, and Victoria Hall in Geneva.

Chia-Ling Chien has been the Associate Principal Cellist with the San Diego Symphony since 2009. She has a Bachelor's degree and Master of Music degree from the Cleveland Institute of Music. She took first place in the National Taipei Youth Cello Competition, won the Cleveland Institute of Music Concerto Competition, and earned four years of first-prize wins in the Taipei Cello Competition and numerous other awards and honors.

The concert is free and open to the public. The 5 Star Parking lot no. 12, which is adjacent to the Library at the southeast corner of Broadway and Eighth Avenue, is available for free parking. Enter the lot from Eighth Avenue. The Library thanks 5 Star Parking for the complimentary parking. For more information, call Central Library's Art, Music and Recreation Section at 619-236-5810 or visit the Library on the City's website at www.sandiegolibrary.org. Learn about other events at the San Diego Public Library's Central Library and 35 branch libraries, find links to numerous additional resources, or search for materials in the Library's online catalog.

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